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Applicant

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For

USE OF γ-TOCOPHEROL AND

ITS OXIDATIVE METABOLITE LLU-α IN THE TREATMENT OF

DISEASE

Examiner

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 13, 2004, Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

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